## State of Illinois Department of Children and Family Services

## RIGHT TO HAVE ADVOCATE PRESENT

In accordance with the Foster Parent Law (20 ILCS 520) and DCFS Rule 340, Foster Parent Code, I have been advised by the Family Development Specialist/Licensing Representative named below that he/she is conducting a licensing complaint investigation regarding my foster family home license. I have also been advised that I have the right to have an advocate or friend of my choosing present during any interviews conducted with me during this licensing complaint investigation. I understand that I have up to 4 hours to have the advocate or friend present at my home for this interview. I understand that the Family Development Specialist/Licensing Representative may conduct a walk-through of my home immediately, if necessary, and will return for the interview.

(check if appropriate) I have waived my right to have an advocate or friend pre and will proceed with the interview.	
Foster Parent	Date
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Family Development Specialist/Licensing Representative	Date